

## CITY COUNCIL

## **BOSTON CITY COUNCILLOR CHARLES C. YANCEY**

## HICKS AUTO BODY

WHEREAS: Hicks Auto Body, Inc. was established in 1970 by Willie E. Hicks, Sr., at the corner of

Talbot and Blue Hill Avenues in Dorchester, Massachusetts; and

WHEREAS: Mr. Hicks had gained experience repairing vehicles as a young boy while growing up in

South Carolina, where her fixed tractors and other mobile equipment; and

WHEREAS: Mr. Hicks, in the 1960's, migrated from South Carolina to upstate New York, where he

raced and fixed fast cars to earn a living, and he learned every phase of auto body repair

working in automobile dealerships; and

WHEREAS: Mr. Hicks, in April of 1970, bought the building and the land on the corner of Talbot and

Blue Hill Avenues, and established Hicks Auto Body; and

WHEREAS: Hicks Auto Body's services include paint jobs, collision repair, auto detailing, and 24

hour towing, as well as insurance estimates, window replacements, reconditioning, and

pick up and delivery in the Boston area; and

WHEREAS: Hicks Auto Body's many clients include Verizon, the MBTA, Gourmet Caterers, Boston

Public Schools, Boston EMS, Beacon Telecom, Inc., and the Boston Police Department;

and

WHEREAS: Hicks Auto Body's sponsorships and charitable contributions include Little League,

Special Olympics, Pop Warner Football, Community Churches, Bottom Line Foundation, Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston, Boston Community Centers, Boston Neighborhood Basketball League, Professional & Amateur Boxing, Book Fairs and Educational Programs, Boston Police Department Community Programs, Community Newspaper and

Radio Outlets, and the Lena Park Community Development Corporation; Be It Therefore

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, congratulates Willie E. Hicks, Sr.

and all employees of Hicks Auto Body in acknowledgement of the 40th Anniversary of

Hicks Auto Body.

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President of the City Council

Attest:

Clerk of the City of Boston

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Bate: October 20, 2010

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